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**From:** Sam Wade  
**Sent:** Fri 1/10/2014 6:08:19 PM  
**Subject:** RE: West VA

Hello Patti:

They are portable units that fit into the back of a pick-up. The unit produces 5-10,000 gallons per day. It is treated and chlorinated and pumped into bladders. The West VA Rural Water will facilitate the State Primacy Agency approval with the Company and its application. I would suspect there are other sources that would be used but not sure what they will work out with the primacy agency for a source. Ideally, it would fill a bladder of treated water for use in a small community then move on to another. This is the first application our states have been involved in with this type of unit so we are also waiting to see how it works. Our goal in discussion with one of our sponsors is to station two or three of these around for transport when needed.

WaterStep is a non-profit that work in third world countries and disaster areas. Their web link is <http://waterstep.org/what-we-do/disaster-relief/>.

OI will keep you abreast of any information we receive from the field.

Thanks Sam

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Sam

Good to know about the assistance from WV RWA.

What more can you tell me about the units? Capability?

Is the idea to take water from distribution system, treat and bottle for consumers?

Is this free or for a small fee?

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**To:** Grevatt, Peter; Lopez-Carbo, Maria; Eisenberg, Mindy

**Subject:** West VA

Good morning:

Just wanted to let you know that W. VA Rural Water is on the job and working with systems impacted by the chemical spill. We have arranged a donation from WaterStep. They are transporting a portable treatment unit to WVA Rural Water with 15,000 containers to provide drinking water as the contamination is contained and systems returned to normal.

Thanks Sam